

REMARKS

The Examiner has required an election in the present application between:

Species A, drawn to an LCD wherein the transmittance of light reflecting display section is greater than the transmittance of the light transmitting display sections;

Species B, drawn to an LCD wherein the transmittance of light transmitting display section is greater than the transmittance of the light reflecting display sections; and

Species C, drawn to an LCD wherein the brightness or characteristics of the color filters in the reflecting display section is the same as that of transmitting display section.

**For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect Species A, with traverse.**

**Claims 21, 22, 24, 31-35, 38, 39, 41, 43, 44, 45 and 48-52 are directed to the elected species. As acknowledged by the Examiner, at least claims 21, 31, 33, 35, 38, 43, 44 and 50 are generic.**

Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Robert Downs (Reg. No. 48,222) at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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